GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT
LOK SABHA

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LACK OF PUBLICITY FROM ALIMCO
Bhakta Shri Manoranjan

Will the Minister of SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government is aware that wide publicity is lacking from Artificial Limbs Manufacturing Corporation of India (ALIMCO), Kanpur;

(b) if so, the reasons therefor; and

(c) the remedial measures adopted by the Government to give wide publicity for the sake of general public and to increase the production by three folds?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT (SMT. SUBBULAKSHMI JAGADEESAN)

(a) to (c) Artificial Limbs Manufacturing Corporation of India (ALIMCO) carries out wide publicity in respect of its products and services by conducting assessment/distribution camps in remote areas of most of the districts of the country including in the North Eastern States. The Corporation has increased its production base by establishing auxiliary centres at Bhubaneswar (Orissa), Bangalore, (Karnataka), Jabalpur (Madhya Pradesh) and Chanalon (Punjab).